

Families First in Numbers
Updated Information from September 2008

Current number of Assistance Units: 55,054

Current number of individuals: 141,407

Current number of adults: 38,291

Current number of children: 103,116

Assistance Groups prior to Families First (August 1996): 91,499

Current number of child only cases: 17,760

Current number of 1 parent cases: 36,305

Current number of 2 parent cases: 990

Change in cases since last month: 3.31%

Closures in September 2008

Total closures: 4,030

Closures for sanctions: 1,441

Work-related sanctions: 1,333

Other sanctions: 108

Closures for employment: 463

Current number of Assistance Units with a working adult: 12,251

Average monthly wage of employed participants: \$879.35

Average monthly cash benefit for participating families: \$168.60